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GALACTURONOSYLTRANSFERASE (GALAT1) ENZYME
FROM ARABIDOPSIS (as amended)
Docket No. : 14-03
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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

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Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed August 29, 2007, Applicants respectfully request favorable reconsideration of the rejections and entry of the present Amendment. The response is accompanied by a Petition for Extension of Time and payment of the necessary fee.

Amendments to the Title appear on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 3 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 10 of this paper.

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